

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
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A3 adjusting the deflection angle such that a diverging angle of the laser light emitted from the laser emitting device in a direction perpendicular to an optical axis thereof becomes the narrowest is aligned with a radial direction of the optical disk. *B3*

Please add the following new claims 13 and 14:

A3 13. (New) The optical pickup apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein the laser light emitting device records information on the optical recording disk with the laser light.

14. (New) The optical pickup apparatus as set forth in claim 10, wherein the laser light emitting device records information on the optical recording disk with the laser light. *B3*

IN THE ABSTRACT:

**Please delete the present Abstract of the Disclosure and
replace it with the following new Abstract of the Disclosure:**

A4 A deflector deflects laser light emitted from a laser light emitting device. A lens driver moves an objective lens for conversing the laser light deflected by the deflector onto an optical recording disk in a focusing direction and a tracking direction thereof. A frame member supports the laser light emitting device, the deflector and the lens driver. The deflector is positioned such that the center of an intensity distribution of the laser light is aligned with an optical axis of the objective lens.